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E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJECT: POSSIBLE ESCAPE OF VIETNAMESE RELIGIOUS LEADER

1. DEPT HAS RECEIVED REPORTS SUGGESTING THAT LUONG TRONG
TUONG, LEADER OF A MAJOR FACTION OF THE MILITANTLY ANTI-COM-
MUNIST HOA HAO RELIGIOUS SECT, MAY HAVE ESCAPED BY BOAT TO
MALAYSIA. TUONG IS THE UNCLE OF PHAN THI DANH WHO IS KNOWN
TO HAVE ARRIVED IN MALAYSIA RECENTLY.

2. IF TUONG IS IN MALAYSIA, HIS PREVIOUS ROLE IN VIETNAM
WOULD SUGGEST THE ADVISABILITY OF PRIORITY PROCESSING FOR
PAROLE BOTH FROM THE POINT OF VIEW OF HIS OWN WELL BEING
AND THE LIKELY SENSITIVITIES OF THE GOM.

3. REQUEST EMBASSY ATTEMPT TO DETERMINE WHETHER TUONG IS IN
MALAYSIA AND, IF SO, INITIATE NECESSARY PROCESSING. PLEASE
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